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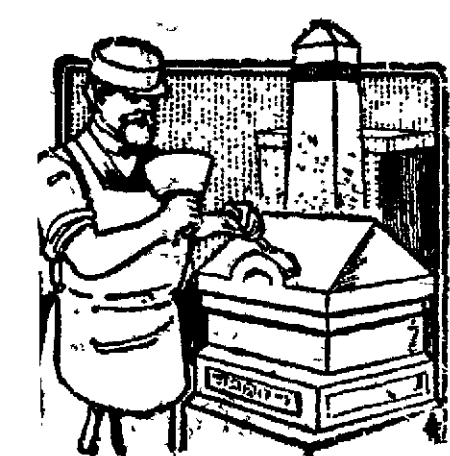
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MANY VISITORS FROM OTHER TOWNS PARTICIPATE IN THE FESTIVITIES.

Half the people of Portsmouth, it seemed, and a goodly proportion of those of several other towns were the guests of Alpha Council, Royal Arcanum, on Wednesday evening and they were entertained in a way which will add much to the social prestige of this growing organization.

Both Red Men's and Peirce halls were required to accommodate the large crowd and amusements were provided in great variety. Dancing was enjoyed in the lower hall while whist and other games were played in the one above. A varied program of entertainment was also provided.

Deputy Supreme Regent W. D. Buckley of the Dorchester, Mass. council and Past Regent G. Mansfield of the same council were special guests.

In addition, large delegations from Major Waldron council of Dover, Friendship council of Exeter, Wallace council of Rochester and Somersworth council were present and were royally entertained by their Portsmouth brothers. All the visitors came by special train, with the exception of the Exonians, who came in a car of the Exeter and Portsmouth electric railway.

The visiting traters, in almost every instance, were accompanied by ladies.

Joy and Philbrick's orchestra furnished music for dancing and also contributed to the general program by giving the following concert selections:

March—"The Piccadore." Sousa
Overture—"Orpheus." Offenbach
Valse—"The Spirit of the Forest." Hayes

Selection—"The Defender." Dennee

The following order of dances gave pleasure to the Terpsichoreans:

1. Two Step, Alpha Council, No. 83
2. Waltz, To our Officers
3. Two Step, To our Lady Friends
4. Schottische, To our Visiting Brothers
5. Quadrille, To our D. S. R.
6. Two Step, To a Grand Council in N. H.

INTERMISSION.

Waltz, Two Step, Caprice

Portland Fancy, Who is our next candidate?

8. Two Step, R U A Member?

9. Waltz, Joli. a live Council

10. Two Step, To our Order in general

11. Schottische, Reed the Bulletin

12. Waltz, Yours in V. M. C.

EXTRAS.

The concert was enthusiastically applauded and every dance was enjoyed.

At intermission, ice cream, cake and coffee were served, Reich being the caterer.

While the dance was in progress, a large company in the upper hall passed the time with cards and it was here that the entertainment was quite long and decidedly varied. One of the most enjoyable features was a flute solo by M. L. Damm of the Naval band. Besides this, there was a piano solo by Harold Hett, which occasioned much hand clapping and a vocal solo by Master Horrocks. E. C. Hepworth provided a phonograph concert and Miss Marion McIntire performed on the piano.

Throughout the evening, fruit punch was served on the dance floor. The orchestra stand was decorated with potted palms, these being furnished by Hannaford, the florist.

The affair was one of the most successful ever given under the auspices

of a local secret society and was thoroughly enjoyed by everyone of the large company present. Much credit should be given to the members of the various committees, who had charge of all the arrangements. The names of these gentlemen are given below:

Entertainment committee—C. W. Gray, chairman, H. N. Hett, H. O. Prime, R. D. McDonough, G. E. Philbrick, A. H. Allen, H. W. T. Norris, Selma Wheeler;

General committee—F. S. Towle, chairman, J. K. Bates, W. D. Grace, J. A. Borthwick, A. T. Parker, H. P. Kent, F. T. Harriman, A. N. Wells, H. B. Yeaton, A. H. Adams, F. E. Tucker, F. L. Stackpole, F. T. Hartson;

Refreshment committee—B. A. Reich, chairman, Benjamin Green, F. H. Grover, C. T. F. Smith, H. O. Nelson, Lamont Hilton;

Reception committee—Dr. S. T. Ladd, chairman, A. E. Rand, Dr. F. L. Benedict, Rev. C. LeV. Brine, C. A. Card, O. L. Frisbee, Dr. W. L. Hawkes, H. C. Hewitt, W. A. Hodgdon, G. W. Pollard, J. C. Stewart, A. P. Wendell, J. F. Berry, F. D. Butler, D. T. Burritt, F. T. Clarkson, A. C. Hoyt, J. H. Grover, Dr. S. F. Ham, T. G. Lester, W. F. Robinson, J. H. Wells, J. W. Kelley.

The dancing was in charge of the following members: Floor Director, R. D. McDonough; aids, John K. Bates, Dr. Samuel Ladd and H. N. Hett.

SOME DARTMOUTH CHANGES.

Trustees Do Much Business At Their Annual May Meeting.

At the annual May meeting of the trustees of Dartmouth college, the following faculty changes were announced: Prof. E. F. Nichols' resignation from the Appleton professorship of physics was accepted, with a minute of appreciation of his work. Prof. Nichols will have charge of the Phoenix laboratory at Columbia university next year. Prof. G. F. Hull, assistant professor of physics, will succeed him. Prof. Hull received his A. B. from the University of Toronto in 1892, and his Ph. D. from the University of Chicago in 1897, taught at Colby university from 1896 to 1899 and has been at Dartmouth since 1899.

Assistant Professor H. E. Burton was advanced to a full professorship in Latin. He received an A. B. at Harvard in 1890, an A. M. in 1893 and Ph. D. in 1895. During the next two years he studied at the American school of Archaeology in Rome, and has held his present position since 1898.

Assistant Professor Frank H. Dixon, for five years in the department of economics, was appointed to a full professorship. He received his Ph. D. in 1895, studied at the University of Berlin 1895-06, was assistant professor of political economy at the same institution 1897-98.

Instructors G. R. Wicker and R. W. Husband were made assistant professor in economics and Greek, respectively.

Edgar Van Deusen was appointed instructor in public and private finance in the Tuck school. Mr. Van Deusen graduated from Princeton in 1892, and received his A. M. from the University of New York. He gained practical experience in Wall street, and last year was a graduate student at the University of Missouri.

Leaves of absence for the whole or a part of the year were granted to Prof. Justin H. Smith of the modern history department, Prof. F. G. Moore of the Latin department, and Instructor Homer E. Keyes of the English department.

VERDICT FOR THE PLAINTIFF.

Town Of North Hampton Loses The Hendry Suit.

In the superior court today, the jury in the case of Hendry vs. the town of North Hampton gave the plaintiff \$587.50. The Blum vs. Flynn case was on trial all day and was given to the jury in the evening.

REPORT IT AT ONCE.

Herald subscribers who fail to receive their paper regularly, either by carrier, or mail, will greatly oblige this office by reporting it here at once, when the trouble will be promptly remedied.

SAYING LITTLE.

Saloon Men Pretty Quiet

On Coming Election.

DON'T TALK MUCH ABOUT

RESULT NEXT WEEK.

Hardly Any Signs Of Activity In Their

Ranks.

INFLUENCE OF SMALLER DEALERS TOWARD

NO LICENCE IS OF SMALL CONSEQUENCE.

To license or not to license, that is the question. Whether 'tis better to endure the old system of bars in the kitchens, back parlors, cellars and second story rooms, and stick up for the principle that it is wrong for the state to countenance that is wrong, or try a new system and no longer attempt to prohibit, but to regulate. This is the question the voters will decide next Tuesday.

There is hardly any noticeable sign of activity among the saloon element. So far as outward appearances go, a stranger would never know that a question is within a week to be decided which may take away from a majority of the liquor men an easy means of livelihood. In the saloons the same drinking goes on, and the question is hardly discussed at all. The reason for this last is that the saloon keeper, who is usually the life of a bar room conversation, will not talk except to his intimate friends, concerning the issue soon to be fought out. If you ask him whether he expects the city to go license or no license he shrugs his shoulders and says he doesn't know.

It is only occasionally that one can be stirred into anything like a discussion of the subject, and on such occasions it becomes quite evident to the listener that the saloon keeper has gauged the situation with an experienced eye, and has the question pretty definitely settled in his own mind whether or not there is going to be license or no license.

There has been a story going the rounds to the effect that the small dealers who will not be able to pay the license fees have been working in the interest of no license. It is quite natural that in certain instances such should be the case, although the work accomplished by them along this line is said to be very small.

It is but natural that a man who sees the prospect of an easy living, and in some neighborhoods a good one, being taken away from him, should try to induce a few of his acquaintances to vote against the measure, but on general principles the influence of a man who cannot afford to pay his license fee will be small when it comes to a matter of influencing votes.

KITTERY.

Kittery, Me., May 7.
Mrs Herbert Elkins and son of Brooklyn are in town for a few days visit with relatives. Carpenter H. G. Elkins will be in Boston for a short time.

Mrs Fred Atwater and two children of Bridgeport, Conn., are visiting Mrs. Atwater's sister, Mrs. J. Wilson Hobbs.

This evening the G. A. R. will meet and make final arrangements for Memorial day.

The walk at the ferry landing on Bauger's island is being relaid.
Rev. James R. Laird, the new minister at the Second Christian church, is expected to arrive here this week with his family. The parsonage has been put in first class repair and everything is in readiness for them.

L. A. Wager has so increased his trade in the bakery business that he has been compelled to engage an assistant. He will also put a wagon on the road for daily delivery, shortly.
Horace Mitchell is in Boston today on business.

Whipple lodge, I. O. G. T., were en-

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certained by the Rockingham lodge of Portsmouth last evening, when they enjoyed a public installation. They report a fine time.
L'Inconnu club will give another of their popular assemblies tomorrow (Friday) evening.
Boatswain Sweeney has returned to his duties on board the United States training ship Hartford, now in New York.
There will be a game of ball on the new grounds, between Kittery and North Berwick, next Saturday.
C. M. Prince is in Boston today.
The annual meeting of the Camden Land company was held at the office of Hiram Thomson yesterday and he was re-elected clerk.

REACHES TREMENDOUS FIGURES.

Nearly a Million and a Half Paid in Life Insurance in This State During the Past Year.

The Insurance Press, in a recent issue, presents an array of facts with reference to life insurance which is simply astounding to those who are unfamiliar with the remarkable growth of life insurance. It shows that in New Hampshire during the past year the claims amounted to \$1,464,943. Notable claims paid in this state were as follows: Frank Jones, \$92,754; Fred M. Gilbert of Walpole, \$25,000; George E. Burgess of Berlin, \$20,000; Daniel E. Leavitt of Portsmouth, \$18,261, and Fred G. Carter of Lebanon, \$10,000.

The payments of claims throughout New Hampshire in 1902 were as follows: Amherst, \$4000; Antrim, \$3000; Ashuelot, \$3000; Berlin, \$34,000; Berlin Falls, \$9000; Bethlehem, \$550; Boacawen, \$3500; Bradford, \$3000; Bristol, \$821; Campton Village, \$2500; Canaan, \$3000; Canterbury, \$3004; Center Ossipee, \$1307; Charlestown, \$14,288; Chester, \$4500; Claremont, \$11,730; Colebrook, \$500; Concord, \$50,973; Conway, \$11,000; Deerfield, \$2000; Derry, \$46,000; Dover, \$18,551; East Conway, \$2500; East Jaffrey, \$3000; Easton, \$500; East Wakefield, \$1200; Enfield, \$9518; Exeter, \$18,000; Farmington, \$2688; Franklin, \$300; Franklin Falls, \$7000; Fredonia, \$3000; Goffstown, \$500; Gorham, \$11,618; Great Falls, \$3000; Greenfield, \$2937; Greenland, \$2660; Guilford, \$5000; Hanover, \$4000; Hill, \$3000; Hinsdale, \$17,000; Hudson, \$3000; Jaffrey, \$6000; Jefferson, \$3000; Keene, \$13,689; Kingston, \$7165; Laconia, \$5176; Lancaster, \$5880; Lebanon, \$28,922; Lisbon, \$6500; Littleton, \$5302; Londonderry, \$9000; Lyme, \$7497; Manchester, \$279,490; Marlborough, \$5000; Meredith, \$3000; Merrimack, \$3433; Milford, \$6296; Nashua, \$94,624; New Hampton, \$6262; New London, \$3944; Newmarket, \$6000; Newton, \$3140; North Conway, \$3124; Nottingham, \$2269; Ossipee, \$7588; Pembroke, \$1080; Penacook, \$2892; Peterborough, \$3000; Pittsfield, \$4800; Plymouth, \$3000; Portsmouth, \$321,367; Raymond, \$400; Rochester, \$7260; Rollinsford, \$2000; Rye, \$1666; Rye Beach, \$11,527; Somersworth, \$500; South Newmarket, \$2508; Stratford, \$40,000; Suncook, \$4648; Swanzey, \$4000; Tilton, \$3000; Troy, \$3000; Wakefield, \$2000; Walpole, \$80,000; Warren, \$6346; Wren, \$2000; West Derry, \$2000; Whitefield, \$1500; Windham, \$4900; Wolfeborough, \$9588; Woodville, \$9000; Industrial, \$80,955; unclassified, \$11,000; total, \$1,464,943.

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MASONIC HOME.

Chairman McAllister of Dedication Committee Sends Out Another Letter.

George I. McAllister, chairman of the dedication committee having in charge the arrangements for the dedication of the Masonic Home in Manchester, has issued the following additional information:

Our Masonic Home building will be dedicated on Monday, May 11, 1903. Members of the commandery, and every sir knight in good standing in Manchester, are invited to be present. The Masons will assemble at Masonic hall at 12:45 p. m., and will leave there at one o'clock sharp, on electric cars, for the Masonic Home at 813 Beech street, where the Grand Lodge will perform the ritual of dedication, after which electric cars will be taken for the corner of Elm and Hanover streets, and then the brethren will go to the opera house, where the literary exercises will be held. The ladies of your families are invited to attend the exercises in the opera house. Morey's orchestra will give a concert beginning at 1:30 o'clock. Doors open at one p. m.

The literary exercises will commence at two p. m. At the conclusion of the exercises all the brethren and ladies are invited to attend a musical entertainment and partake of refreshments at our Masonic hall. Widows of deceased Masons and sir knights are invited to be present. Please be present.

GEORGE I. McALLISTER,
Chairman of Dedication Committee.

RIVER AND HARBOR.

The lighter Trilby started for the Shoals again today, in tow of the tug M. M. Davis, after being anchored in the lower harbor for a few days on account of rough weather.

The barges Fanny P and Durham are loading coal from the schooner Lewis H. Goward for Newmarket.

The tug Piscataqua started for Boston this morning with a tow of brick laden barges.

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BOSNIAN HORROR.

Christians Fall Victims To Enraged Moslems.

NINE THOUSAND PEOPLE SLAIN WITHOUT MERCY.

German Paper Hears A Terrible Story From Town Of Novi Bazar.

DETAILS ARE LACKING, BUT REPORT APPEARS TO BE TRUE.

New York, May 6.—The Evening Journal has the following special cable from Berlin.

Nine thousand Christian inhabitants of Novi Bazar, Bosnia, have been massacred by Moslems, according to a report received today by the Frankfurter Zeitung. The entire Christian population of Novi Bazar, according to the report, was slain.

The Moslem uprising was unexpected, although there had been indications of turbulence. The Christians were overwhelmed by the Moslem horde that swept over them. Men, women and children, the report says, were slaughtered without mercy. The most brutal ferocity characterized the attack.

Efforts are being made in Berlin to obtain further details of the appalling slaughter.

The Frankfurter Zeitung says that no details have been received from Bosnia.

DIDN'T WANT OFFICE.

That's Why Mr. Roosevelt Was Given His High Position.

Chicago, May 6.—"President Roosevelt owes his high position to the fact that he was a politician who did not want to hold office," said Dr. Woodrow Wilson, president of Princeton university, last night, in addressing the annual meeting of the Twentieth Century club in the Fine Arts building.

The subject of his address was "Patricism."

"Roosevelt was a thorn in the side of the politicians," continued the speaker. "He attended their meetings and became one of them, but if things did not suit him he said so. He was so sure he knew how it ought to be done and he was so much trouble to the politicians that they gave him a position to get rid of him."

"If men would study politics, not striving for office, it would change the face of affairs all over the country. The danger of our age is not partisanship, but that our thought full men will belong to no party."

"Don't force yourself into a third party. Don't isolate yourself. Go in to the arena and take your active part."

PRECEDENCE SETTLED.

Standing Of Various Ministers At Washington Officially Decided.

Washington, May 7.—By the May issue of the diplomatic list, the state department seems to recognize the precedence of Baron Sternberg, the German minister, over the other ministers in the corps. While Von Holleben was at the head of the embassy Germany was the first on the list, but with his departure that country falls to the rear end of the line of embassies, but of course precedes the legations.

It does not necessarily follow, however, that Baron Sternberg will lead ministers who came to Washington earlier than he. This is of little importance as a matter of fact.

Russia moves to the head of the list, Count Cassini having presented his credentials June 2, 1898. Senior Manuel de Aspiroz followed him March 30, 1899, and Mexico is thus made second.

TAKEN FROM A WRECK.

Sailors Rescued From A French Brig Brought To New York.

New York, May 6.—Twenty-three survivors of the crew of twenty-six of the French fishing brig I. L. He-de-Terre-Neuve of St. Cerveen, France, reached here today on the German-American Petroleum company's steamer Phoenix, Captain Schlerhorst, from Hamburg.

The He-de-Terre-Neuve was swept

EXETER EVENTS.

Phillips Academy Soundly Trounced By Dean.

NO LICENSE RALLY IN THE TOWN HALL.

Farm Buildings Of Joseph Bently At Hampton Falls Destroyed By Fire.

THINGS SAID AND DONE IN OUR NEIGHBORING COUNTY SEAT.

Exeter, May 6.

The Phillips-Exeter baseball team was completely routed by Dean academy this afternoon. The score was 13 to 2.

The spectators were treated to a very close and interesting game, but in the eighth the Dean boys landed on Heim and this, together with several careless plays, gave them eight runs. With the exception of this inning, Exeter's playing was fully as good as that of her opponents. Exeter used to advantage every chance she had to score with one exception. In the sixth with the bases full, McCook struck out.

The chief reason why Exeter did not secure more runs was because of the inability to hit Green. Libby was almost the only man who could touch the ball.

The feature of the game was a catch of Kent's in the second inning. This was the best seen here this year. Cendella's fielding and Libby's batting were the other features for the home team. The most noticeable play on Dean's part was a fast double in the ninth by Marion and Woodward.

The score:

	a.	b.	r.	b.	p.	a.	e.
McGraw, s.s.	3	2	1	0	3	1	
Patch, c.f.	5	1	2	2	0	3	
Pulsifer, 3b.	6	1	2	0	2	2	
Higgins, c.	6	1	2	3	1	0	
Green, p.	4	2	2	2	3	0	
Woodward, 1b.	5	2	3	10	0	0	
Walker, 2b.	5	2	2	3	0	1	
Manis, l.f.	5	1	1	0	0	0	
Marion, r.f.	5	1	3	2	1	0	
Total.	44	13	18	27	10	4	

Hot Times in Salonica.

Vienna, May 7.—Advices received here from Salonica say that notwithstanding the fact that hundreds of Bulgarians have been arrested street fights are constantly taking place.

Women and children, especially young girls, take a prominent part in these disturbances.

It is asserted that bomb outrages have been planned in all the towns of Macedonia.

Bombs have been discovered in a house at Uskub, European Turkey 100 miles from Salonica, where the Turkish population is greatly excited, fearing a massacre.

PITTSBURG STEPS IN.

Thinks She Can Aid in Clearing Up Barrel Murder Mystery.

Pittsburg, Pa., May 6.—New York detectives, assisted by Pittsburg officers and Capt. Walsh of the United States secret service, are searching among the Italians here for evidence against the men arrested for the murder of Benedetto Madonia.

Last night they visited the Webster avenue district and arrested four Italians. The information obtained from them is being withheld, but it is said that a number of points were secured which will be of value in clearing the barrel mystery.

WOULDN'T SERVE.

Agent Fish Of Dover Evidently Didn't Like Committee Appointment.

Dover, May 7.—Agent Charles H. Fish of the Cobecco manufacturing company, who was appointed chairman of the committee on music for the Dover Commercial club's reception and banquet to Gov. Bachelder, has declined to serve, and Theodore W. Woodman has been appointed in his place.

MRS. B. COTTON, A DEDHAM, MASS., WOMAN

Tells of the Benefit She Received from Quinona and How It Saved Her from Nervous Prostration.

I want to tell you of the benefit Quinona gave me last fall. At that time I was very nervous and was afraid I would break down with nervous prostration. On taking Quinona I quickly gained my former good health. My nervousness disappeared, and in less than three months I felt and looked better than I had for a long time. From my experience I feel sure that Quinona is a wonderful tonic to build up the health. Mrs. B. Cotton, 283 Walnut street, Dedham, Mass.

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One of the leaders in the strike of textile operatives in Lowell is quoted by a Boston paper as saying the strike is progressing satisfactorily to the leaders, and is sure to be successful in the end, as "it will take at least two years for the mill owners to recover from the results of the general exodus that has set in. Between 3000 and 4000 mill hands have left Lowell. Nearly all the expert operatives are gone." If he really made such a statement his idea of success must be a peculiar one. The strike was inaugurated to secure an increase of ten per cent in wages; and, this being the object, it is difficult to see how it can be promoted by the crippling for several years of the mill owners. Possibly the operatives are entitled to more pay than they have been receiving, but making it impossible for the mills to pay as much as has been paid will scarcely enable them to get more.

George F. Baer is a type of man which this country could easily get along without. He is not in any sense a useful citizen and he is in every sense a trouble maker. His public statement that another war with the workers in the coal mining region is probable gives the true measure of the man. There is absolutely no reason why there should be such a "war" as Mr. Baer predicts. The decision of the coal strike commission provided for the peaceful settlement of every difficulty which might arise between miners and operators, for a term of years, and bound both sides to resort to arbitration to adjust every dispute. Mr. Baer and all the other coal magnates agreed to abide by the commission's decision and nothing has occurred to justify them in breaking their agreement. Mr. Baer's late utterances do not sound well in view of past events and the president of the Philadelphia and Reading company would have shown wisdom if he had kept silent. We should have thought that he was sufficiently disliked before, without courting increased unpopularity.

In considering the possibility of likelihood of Grover Cleveland receiving the democratic nomination for president next year, now a subject of much speculation in many quarters, it should be remembered that in a democratic national convention a candidate in order to be successful must receive a full two-thirds of all the votes cast; a bare majority will not answer, as it does in the republican national convention. This two-thirds rule was adopted by the democrats many years ago to defeat a candidate who was very strong with the rank and file of the party, but whom the leaders did not want; it answered its purpose at that time, and has never been abrogated; and more than once it has resulted in the defeat of able members who went into the convention with a strong majority of the delegates, and without the necessary two-thirds, and the nomination of almost unknown men of far inferior ability. It

is not impossible that Cleveland, should his name be presented to the convention, might get the needed two thirds vote; but in face of the opposition of Mr. Bryan, and the hold the latter still has on the masses of the democratic party, it is not probable. If Cleveland is nominated it will be as the candidate of the trusts and the magnates of Wall street, with which President Roosevelt is persona non grata just now, though they heartily approve of Cleveland, who never did or said anything in opposition to them or their schemes while he was president.

PENCIL POINTS.

Russia appears to be so innocent that we opine that she will bear lots of watching.

Fifty or sixty Filipino bandits constitute an army in the lexicon of the anti-imperialists.

Gen. Miles' report doesn't appear to have contained any great amount of valuable information after all.

When Gen. Corbin can't get his name in the papers by any other means, he gets a poker story started about himself.

Japan expects to have a fight with Russia. It's a dull season when the Island Empire isn't expecting a fight with somebody.

Germany may love us as dearly as Baron Sternberg says he does, but she has a decidedly original way of showing her affection.

The democrats are clamoring for "four years more of Grover." No animate being has a shorter memory than the average democrat.

There may be 10,000 men in the United States capable of filling the office of president, as Dr. Parkhurst says, but the doctor isn't one of them.

If any persons are curious as to the opinions of Marilla Ricker of Dover, they are provided with plenty of opportunities to satisfy their curiosity.

It is noticeable that Emperor William's colonization scheme does not include any portion of the American continent. William may not officially recognize the Monroe doctrine, but he takes off his hat to it.

King Edward's ill health doesn't prevent him from eating good dinners or, judging from his American purchase, drinking good liquor.

St. Louis is still talking about those dedication ceremonies. The town is probably glad to have something besides booze as a topic of conversation.

Porto Rico says Cuba owes her about a million dollars. If Porto Rico sees any prospect of collecting the debt she will probably state the exact sum.

An eminent astronomer says the sun is habitable. We submit the humble opinion, however, that the inhabitants would have little use for overcoats.

Mr. Cleveland isn't so sure that he doesn't want to be president again since someone has hypnotized him into believing that he has a chance of getting there.

Barton, the "dream prophet," says President Roosevelt will not be re-elected. Mr. Roosevelt will undoubtedly at once abandon all idea of going before the republican convention

NEWINGTON.

Newington, May 7. Mrs. S. F. deRochemont returned on Tuesday from a visit to Newburyport, where she has been the guest of her father, J. C. Adams.

George E. Smith returned to his home in Boston, on Monday, after a brief visit in town.

Rev. and Mrs. M. S. Dudley are enjoying a week's visit at Nantucket. Master Simes Frink is quite ill. The Reapers' circle met in the town hall on Wednesday afternoon to make final arrangements for the ice cream sale to be held in the hall on May 13.

James B. Pickering lost a valuable cow a few days ago.

The funeral services of Mrs. Harriet Lancaster were held from the home of her nephew, J. W. Whidden, this Thursday afternoon. The interment was at Rye.

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WEEKLY CROP BULLETIN.

A Statement Of The Weather And Crop Conditions Of New England.

United States department of agriculture, climate and crop bulletin of the weather bureau, New England section, for the week ending Monday, May 4:

In some respects the weather of the past week has been all that could be desired for farm work. There was more than the average amount of sunshine and practically no rainfall. There was a marked prevalence of high, dry winds during the greater part of the period. There was a general freeze on the morning of the 2d, the damage done by it varying in different localities.

Temperature—The temperatures of the week present some noticeable features, summer heat being closely followed by winter cold. On Wednesday and Thursday the maximum temperatures were above 85 in many localities, while on Saturday morning there were but comparatively few points at which the mercury did not fall below freezing, and in the northern portions of the district the readings were below 20. Northfield, Vt., reported a minimum of 13, the lowest that has occurred there during May since records have been kept. Grafton, N. H., reported the lowest reading, 14. The mean temperature for the week at Boston, was 54.0, or 1.4 below that of the corresponding week of 1902, and 6.0 above that of the previous week. The mean for 31 years is 51.2, making the mean of the past week 2.8 above the normal. The highest mean for the corresponding week is 60.3 in 1880, and the low est, 41.7, in 1874. The mean for the stations below is 50.8, or 4.2 above that of the preceding week.

The station means, in degrees were as follows:

Eastport	44
Portland	48
Concord	52
Northfield	50
Boston	54
Nantucket	50
Block Island	52
Albany, N. Y.	56

Precipitation—The week was practically without precipitation, making the third week of dry weather. The largest amount reported, 0.28 of an inch, occurred Sunday night at Eastport, Me.

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Although the week was well adapted to plowing, harrowing and manure hauling, there was but little seeding done. The high, drying winds that prevailed benefited low wet land, but uplands, in some cases were too dry to plow to advantage. There was some sowing of oats in the northern states, with some yet to be sown, while in the south their seedling is about completed. There has been some planting of garden vegetables and potatoes, but probably not as much as usual for the season of the year. In parts of Rhode Island and Connecticut, gardens are very well advanced, with peas in blossom and potatoes up. The growth has, however, been slow owing to the dry condition of the soil. The high temperatures of Wednesday and Thursday brought a marvelous change to fruit trees, the buds that had been nearly dormant since the first of the month showing a phenomenal growth in the two days. Friday, however, the temperature fell slowly, and Saturday morning found the ground frozen and ice formed in most of the district. In the north it is hoped that the apple buds were not far enough advanced to be greatly injured, while in the south it is difficult to determine the amount of damage, but there is no doubt but what it will be considerably in many orchards. The generally-expressed opinion is that previous to this last frost, the prospects were favorable for at least a fair crop of all fruits, except peaches. Where strawberries were in bloom there was some damage done to that crop. Grass and pastures are suffering from lack of rain, and the latter do not furnish sufficient feed for the cattle. It is not thought that grass has been permanently injured, but will come forward under the favoring influences of rain and warmer weather. Tobacco beds have been held back somewhat, and some will have to be planted a second time. Some little is in good condition and a small amount of setting will be done the coming week.

ISSUED A CIRCULAR.

Prof. Clarence M. Weed, state nursery inspector, has issued a circular calling the attention of people intending to plant fruit trees to the fact

passed at the recent session of the legislature, intended to prevent the introduction of the San Jose scale, the most dangerous pest of fruit trees in America. The law requires all very stock shipped into this state to bear a certificate that it is free from disease or dangerous insects, or that it has been properly fumigated. The law also requires that all owners of nurseries in this state shall hold an official certificate that their nurseries are free from dangerous pests.

LITERARY NOTES.

Spring Publications Of The Grafton Press.

Careful selection has been the watchword of the Grafton Press in the preparation of the list of spring books. No two are of a kind, but all are well calculated to interest certain classes of readers. The following are good examples of the variety referred to, some of them being already on the market; others in course of preparation.

"Republics versus Woman," by Mrs. Woolsey, a powerful plea for equal rights. This book should make a stir throughout the country. By some reviewers it is being heartily praised and by others just as bitterly abused. By none has it been "damned with 'saint praise.'" All of which proves that it is a book which will make its mark.

"Clues and Catches," a collection of true detective stories, related by a lady sleuth. For reasons of her own the author maintains anonymity; but the publishers have proof positive that she is what she represents herself to be—an experienced detective of many years' standing. No writer of fiction could invent such true-sounding stories as these which are old simply and therefore effectively. It is doubtful if any other class of story is as widely wanted as the detective yarn. "Clues and Catches" should have a wide sale.

In "Starting a Printing Office" R. C. Mallette and W. H. Jackson give the results of many years' experience. This work will be of the highest interest to all who are engaged in printing.

"The Confessions of a Chorus Girl," by Madge Merton, is good reading, and gives a faithful picture of the fascinating life behind the scenes, fadage does not pose as a model Sunday School girl. On the contrary, she is breezy, and, like most of her sort, a quite natural.

"The Buckeye Doctor," by W. W. Pennell, M. D., is a story of small-town life. It tells of the struggles and success of a young medical man who set up in the teeth of much opposition in a little place where new deas were looked on with disfavor. He was made of the right stuff and came out successful in the end. The characters are admirably drawn. There is a distinct vein of refreshingly original humor running through the tale. Many of the sayings of the own wiseacres will cling to the memory.

"Some By-ways of California," by Charles Franklin Carter, is most highly spoken of by those who are familiar with the scenes described. The author is a man who knows how to travel and observe, especially when away from the beaten paths which have been done to death by innumerable trotters. The California described is that where poetry is not yet dead, where the history is in the soil and is treasured in legends.

Grace Talbot's "Much-Married Saints and Some Sinners" is a description at short range of the Mormons at home. In a dozen stories, as many views of Mormon life are given. Nor does the author devote all her energy to dealing with the hideousness of polygamy. The humorous side of Mormon life is given, and the everyday existence of the Latter-Day Saints.

Social life in Washington is the theme of "The Senator's Sweetheart," by Rosseter Willard. The book is delightfully written, and Mrs. Cushman K. Davis contributes an introduction. Among the illustrations will be a charming reproduction in colors of a miniature portrait of Mrs. Davis.

A book by Dr. B. Merrill Ricketts, on "Surgery of Heart and Lungs," is a proof that a wide-awake and up to date young firm can secure the best of material. As it is the first of a medical series every effort has been made to put out a book which will stand comparison with those published by any other firm.

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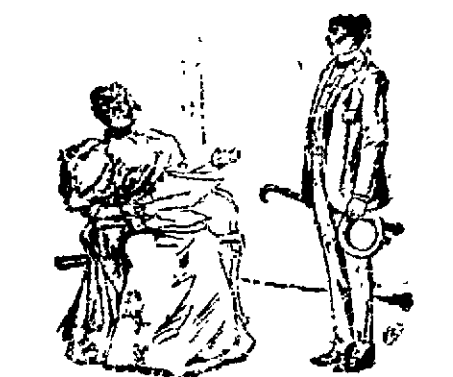
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TOWN IMPROVEMENT

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How to Organize a Village Improvement Society—Some of the Plans Adopted by These Associations for Town Betterment.

Village improvement began in this country as early as 1850, but only recently did it become widespread. In past years New England held undisputed sway, but now the west, which is always active if interested, has in thousands of places awakened to the idea of these organizations, and interest is taken in all that concerns village life, from sewers and electric lights to cleanliness of streets, well mended highways and ornamentation in the way of flowers, trees and shrubs.

As to the best methods of forming a village improvement association, it is important that everybody in the town should take an interest in the subject, says a writer in the Christian Endeavor. A board of managers and an committee to raise funds are necessary, and often prizes are offered at the discretion of the managers for improvement in what the town most lacks.

Once started and a few prominent citizens interested, the needs of a community will decide what is lacking, and supply will follow demand. If the town is bleak and unadorned, shade trees will be needed, planted from twenty-five to thirty-five feet apart. Ornamental flowering trees are selected, such as redwoods, dogwoods, crab apples, they will prove a joy from fruitage. If it is sidewalks that are needed, public opinion will frighten reticent taxpayers into building. If it is lean yards and alleys, the yard is your own to make it gay with grass and flowers, a fit place for children to play, and the alley can be well graveled, oiled and drained, so as to make a tidy passageway.

Do what needs doing systematically and tastefully, never get discouraged and work in harmony with the town authorities—these are what successful organizations try to accomplish. Adequate means must come from donations, exhibitions, flower shows and other ways, not original, it is true, but successful. Some associations offer prizes. One society experienced in this work gives prizes for best lawn (this includes front and back yards, shrubbery, flowers, alleys and gutters), for best kept school yard, best kept yard about public buildings such as post office, library, courthouse, best grown vines covering fences and best kept premises of workman living in less than \$1,500 a year. The offer of these prizes was published in the city papers, and applicants were given a certain time to file notifications so that their premises could be visited by a committee.

Another work undertaken by progressive associations is the taking of photographs of the worst streets and alleys in town when they are littered with paper and rubbish. Saturday night, when the business streets are thronged, these ugly photographs are shown on a screen, together with attractive pictures of well kept streets, parks and lawns. This forms a practical way of teaching by contrast, and the moral of the lesson goes without saying.

Even the children are interested. In some places thousands of packages of flower seeds are distributed to the school children, and prizes are offered for the prettiest flower beds kept by a boy or girl. Country fair commissioners are urged to offer prizes for the best cut flowers grown by children, and many organizations have a children's auxiliary, which is by no means an inferior branch of the organization.

Railroads and corporations are working along various lines to make their districts more attractive and obliterate the dirt and smell of machinery. Historic landmarks are being preserved, and so many good things are being done that one cries in amazement, "How?" The answer is the formation of these improvement societies in every town and village in our land, so that America may become a garden spot such as the world has never dreamed of.

It is the charm of the country, the good roads, fine estates, well trimmed hawthorn hedges that impress the traveler in England. We have too long disfigured our landscape in the desire to get rich. Let us look to it that these things may no longer exist, that foreign travelers may not leave with an impression of crowded cities without architectural fitness, few parks, unspeakable country roads, dreary villages and dirty railroad stations. The remedy is not far to seek. Let us apply it vigorously.

The Value of Good Roads.

Not long since a gentleman from a far western state visited Staunton, his object being the purchase of a grazing farm in this section, says the Staunton (Va.) News. He remained several days, during which time he attempted several prospecting trips. When asked if he had found a farm suited to his purposes, he said, "No; I am going away, but may return when the condition of the roads will enable me to get about with some degree of comfort." He expressed himself as most favorably impressed with the country and with the people, but stated that it was a matter of dollars and cents to him that the road question had to be considered.

Street Improvement.

It is too expensive in more ways than one for a growing, prosperous town to have poor streets. It costs money to pave, but what does it cost to wade through mud and mire six months of the year? Pave the streets by all means as a matter of convenience and economy. It is a good investment in the end.

THE "BLOCK BEAUTIFUL."

Brooklyn's Plan to Improve and Beautify the Town.

Village improvement societies that find it difficult to interest their citizens in town beautifying might adopt the Brooklyn "Block beautiful" plan to good advantage. The scheme started on one block in the City of Churches last year, but was soon taken up by other residents, and much was done to improve and beautify the town. The movement is to be extended this year, and already the Heights branch of the Women's Municipal league, which is the moving spirit in the matter, is at work among the residents of the city, particularly in the Heights section, and urging the extension of the work begun last year.

The object of the league is to encourage the beautifying of the city as far as possible, and one of the means adopted is the planting of trees, shrubs and vines and caring for and protecting those already growing. The league in its work proposes to secure permits for all those who may desire to plant trees in front of their residences and to advise with residents on the best kind of tree to plant and to give suggestions for the further beautifying of the exterior surroundings of the house as may be desired.

The league will also advise concerning window boxes, which add materially to the beauty of the house, giving hints as to their color and general design, so as to harmonize with the architectural appearance of the house.

Another scheme which the league is promoting is that of turning the yards in the rear of houses into gardens. The plan is to do away with the high board fences that separate the yards and in their place put a small wire net with a mesh of handsome design, and by the planting of shrubs, flowers, grass and the building of arbors, covered with vines, to give the yards the appearance of small parks and afford a delightful retreat during the heat of the day.

AMBITIOUS TOWNS.

Every Child Has a Bank Account in Mons, Belgium.

Ambitions of towns are as remarkable as those of men. Of course, nearly every municipality desires to be prosperous, have fine schools, libraries and parks and increase its population. Many go beyond these ordinary ambitions.

For instance, the town of Mons, in Belgium, is desirous of abolishing poverty within its borders, says the New York World. To this end every child is officially registered as soon as it is born and a banking account opened in its name by the municipal authorities with a deposit of 20 cents. When the youngster attains his majority, a little nest egg awaits him to assist his starting in business.

Brook, in Holland, aspires to the distinction of being the neatest town in the world, and certainly no expense is spared to make it so. The 2,700 inhabitants are so strongly bound by municipal rule that to throw a piece of paper or waste of any kind in the public street entails a twenty-five cent fine, and it is only recently that horses have been allowed in the streets. Once a year every house is visited by the town cleaners, who scrub it from top to bottom, inside and out, without any expense to the tenants.

The chief desire of Baroa, in Chile, is to be known as a second London, and within the last decade money has been poured out like water to make it an exact replica of the British capital. The streets have been laid down and named after those of London, while four competent architects were sent over to study London's principal buildings in order that they might be reproduced in miniature. Now, to crown all, a sum of \$1,500,000 is being spent in diverting the course of the river Trian in order that it may run through the town and be rechristened the Thames.

A TOWN FOREST.

Novel Experiment Being Tried in Brunswick, Me.

Brunswick, Me., is probably the only town in New England that is raising a forest of its own. The town owns a large common of about 1,000 acres, commonly known as the Plains. Several years ago Austin Cary, a Bowdoin college graduate, who is an expert in forestry, after looking the ground over, decided that it would be an excellent place to start a forest to be owned by the town.

The Plains are in most parts covered with a growth of scrub pines, says the Boston Globe, and in the open spaces Mr. Cary, with a corps of assistants, has been setting out white pine trees. For several years the town appropriated \$100 a year for the purpose, but last year only \$50 was appropriated. The work, however, was carried on the same as before.

Mr. Cary's report on the work done last year has just been made public. It is divided into four parts, planting on the Plains, maintaining two nurseries on the year before, measures for fire protection and the improvement of the blueberry crop. It states that there are now 20,000 white pine trees growing on the common besides a blueberry plantation of some thirty acres.

Remove the Fences.

There should be no fences unless there is reason for it. Some persons seem to want fences just for the purpose of having them. Of themselves fences are neither ornamental nor desirable. The street and the walk suffer from the fence. A wall may mean seclusion, and it may easily be made a part of the architectural features of the place. Walls usually work well into the planning designs of a home ground, but fences rarely do.

BOOMING THE TOWN

KANSAS CITY'S LIVE AND ENTHUSIASTIC ORGANIZATION.

How the Commercial Club, Composed of Eight Hundred Business Men, Is Working for Town Betterment. Aims of the Association.

Towns that wish to progress and grow rapidly should organize a club like Kansas City has. The Commercial club is the incorporated title of it. It is not among the new bustling elements of Kansas City. It has lived long enough to have inspired and started, strengthened, developed and rounded out good things multitudinous for the town. From the very start it accomplished things, and age inflicts neither languor nor lameness. Fifteen years ago it started upon its campaign of Kansas City upbuilding. It had public approval from its beginning; now it commands public enthusiasm. More than 800 Kansas City business men are on its rolls, and not one laggard is in the list.

It is not on the semi-occasional plan, spasmodically, that the Kansas City Commercial club acts, says the New York Times. Every week has its meeting, every meeting its mission, every meeting and every mission keyed to the local slogan, "Make Kansas City a good town to live in."

In regard to the work of the club its secretary recently said:

"We have accomplished a good deal. We expect to accomplish vastly more. We are just getting our gait. We have only one purpose, we just stand for Kansas City. Any important question affecting Kansas City's welfare commands our attention, and the progress side can depend upon our earnest championship. We work for Kansas City precisely as the winning business man works in his own personal interest. We are not handicapped by any tinge of factionalism. Getting together, discussing the good of our city on broad lines, it is never difficult for us to agree as a unit upon what is municipally advisable, and then we act."

"There isn't a half hearted man in all our 800. Our business men are joined in this campaign for Kansas City's benefit on a basis wholly superior to any that can be inspired by the pettiness of selfishness. They are ready continually to give of their time, their counsel and their money. Of course results follow. Perhaps if we were less united, if elements of personal selfishness were operating, it might be different, but this is guesswork merely, for what we know about and all we know about is just one strong pull altogether for Kansas City."

It is not merely in the bringing of new manufacturing to employ labor, utilize raw material and distribute pay rolls; it is not merely in the development of plans for expanding mercantile connections that this organization is industrious. Along those lines it does work wonders, but its field is broader.

Not less conspicuous in its calendar is the campaign waged constantly for municipal cleanliness. Through it have started plans for a public park system great in acreage and greater still in its developing beautification, close to \$3,000,000 having already been invested in it, with \$3,000,000 more speedily to be available—far record this for a western river town whose assets and whose credit were texts for jocularity a decade and less ago.

What such work accomplishes is signified in the limitations. Kansas City finds itself in this one particular a pioneer whose example influences business sentiment throughout the entire southwest. Even stronger and richer, St. Louis wheels finally into line and in measurable ways accepts this phase of Kansas City leadership, while every town and hamlet of consequence in the southwest has hastened, and that enthusiastically, to establish home championship organizations of this same type.

In twenty alert towns of western and northern Missouri, of Kansas and Oklahoma and Texas and even in the quaintest quietude of Arkansas the Commercial club idea is not merely accepted, but has come to be controlling. Thus Kansas City is actually stenciled the whole southwest over.

Flowers for the Back Yard.

The flowers to be found in the unpretentious but pretty gardens of newcomers from Germany are in a general way those best adapted to back yard adornment in all parts of the country, says the Woman's Home Companion. Morning glory vines and woodbine can be depended upon to cover fences or low buildings in a reasonably brief space of time and if encouraged will run riotously over trellises or arbors. The common crimson variety of petunias will flourish with very little attention and present a most pleasing appearance. Scarlet geraniums and vivid hued petunias are favorites, as is also the yellow coreopsis. Roses of the common variety of course have places, and so likewise do lady's slippers, celandine and zinnias.

As to Clean Streets.

Every town should and could have clean and well kept streets. With a little more care in the details of construction and more systematic and thorough methods of keeping them free from sticks, stones and other accumulations of rubbish the thoroughfares of a town would be a credit and a pride instead of in some cases an eyesore and cause for mortification. As in the larger cities ordinances fixing penalties for dumping ashes and other household refuse to the streets should be enforced, as well as forbidding the loading of wagons with dirt, coal, wood, etc., in such a manner that a part of the contents will be distributed along the route of their passage.

BOOMING PINE BLUFF.

Valuable Scheme to Advertise a North Carolina Town.

Pine Bluff, N. C., is probably the only town in the United States that has an official press agent and that realizes fully the value of advertising its resources, says the New York Evening Telegram. The citizens got together and drafted a bill "authorizing the town commissioners of Pine Bluff, Moore county, N. C., to provide necessary funds for advertising the town as a desirable resort."

This bill was sent to the general assembly at Raleigh, with a petition which is as progressive in spirit as the measure itself is unique in general tenor. The petition reads:

"It is our purpose to do all we can to bring into your state only desirable and worthy settlers from our former homes, people with whom we have been associated and know to be good men and women, and the purpose of this bill is to enable us to evenly tax ourselves according to what we will gain by the bringing in of visitors and settlers. Your and our worthy governor, Mr. C. B. Aycock, has shown us the honor of visiting and addressing our people, and he can tell you of what we are trying to do to help up one of the unsettled portions of North Carolina. We desire to say the tax that will fall upon our own selves and those we get to come to our town will not be a burden, but a blessing to the people in the country outside of our town. Much of the money we bring in goes to the farmers, mechanics and laborers within a radius of twenty miles, and it is, perhaps, not amiss for us to call your attention to the fact that the new settlers in this section of Moore county are even now paying more than one-eighth of the county and state taxes, and we are glad we are able to contribute so much, especially the school taxes, and we will be glad to contribute more to the general school work."

With such a petition before them the legislature had no alternative but to act, and it did so favorably. And this is how the advertising fund is raised:

All taxable property in the town, 5 cents on every \$100 of valuation; every male citizen and every female property owner pays a poll of 15 cents annually; merchants are assessed 4 cents on every \$100 worth of stock carried; hotels and boarding houses pay 5 percent on gross receipts, and livery stables the same; doctors, lawyers, dentists, nurses (including those giving massage or any special treatment or service), laundries, laundry workers, coal and wood dealers, butchers, dairymen, hucksters and fresh meat dealers, bakers, barbers, bootblacks, newsdealers, shows, lectures and entertainments of any kind for profit, billiard tables and games of all kinds, 5 percent of all gross receipts.

An income tax has been declared unconstitutional by the United States supreme court, but the citizens of Pine Bluff are willing to pay one, and therefore "all incomes earned within the corporate limits of the town pay 2 percent thereof where income exceeds \$1 a day. The employer of any person may be held liable for the income taxes of employees if a written notice is served on him that he or she is liable for a tax due by those whom they employ to the extent due from said employer to said employee."

Ten percent is collected on all gross sales of real estate. The entire amount raised by this special tax is to be placed in the hands of a subcommittee of commissioners and expended for advertising purposes. The idea is said to be unique, but entirely within the limits of the state law, and, so far as is known, there is no local opposition to the scheme.

YARDS AND LAWNS.

Some Timely Suggestions for Improving Your Premises.

Now is the time to make plans for neighborhood improvement and to proceed to carry them out, says the Chicago Post. All rubbish that has accumulated in the yards and vacant lots should be gathered in heaps. A garbage man will cart the stuff off for a few cents or if it may be burned the boys will find fun in a bonfire.

Pull up the weeds and dead vines along the flower beds, borders and next the fences. Shrubbery that is positively frozen should be dug out and burned. Dead branches should always be burned, as by so doing pests are destroyed and diseases killed.

Rake off the lawns and put the grass in good shape. Mend up the fences yourself—a nail in time saves nine. Remember that a pot of paint will work miracles. Paint comes ready for use in cans and costs but little. By learning to use the brush yourself you will set a good example to the neighbors and keep your own premises looking fresh.

Spare the Trees!

Protection of highway trees is needed against the axes of anybody and everybody who at present seems able to dispose of shade trees at his own sweet will because not actually within the fence lines of adjacent property, and sometimes against the property owners themselves, who have an idea that they own to the middle of the road. The worst offenders, however, because systematic and lawless in their proceedings, are the telephone, steam and trolley lines, says the New York Times. These gentry should be brought up with a round turn, and where they destroy or mutilate public property they should be forced to pay damages.

Women Beautify a Town.

Club women of Lincoln, Ill., have a department of town improvement. The ladies who make up this section of the club have taken entire charge of the railroad station park and have expended \$200 in grading and sodding and planting trees. They have also looked after the school yards of the town, and their outline of work for 1903 includes the offering of a series of prizes for the best kept school yards and an active campaign in favor of clean streets.

CIVIC BEAUTY PAYS

IT IS THE ATTRACTIVE TOWN THAT GROWS RAPIDLY.

The Value of Spacious and Well Improved Public Parks—They Beautify the Town and Enhance Real Estate Values.

In seeking a change of residence or to locate a business the capitalist and moneyed home seeker will choose the attractive town every time, and the ragged, unsightly, parkless town will be passed by. The man who wants to sell his place cleans it up and puts it in the best possible condition. The hotel that secures the best custom, the store that sells the most goods and at the best profit, are those that are neat, clean, handsome, attractive. Just so with a town. The town that most attracts and interests visitors and investors is not the one that does the most business, but the one that presents a fine, modern appearance, that has well paved streets, neat and clean sidewalks, good business blocks, attractive driveways, and not least, if last, spacious and well improved parks.

Probably not one of the towns and cities that did not take kindly to the creation of public parks when the agitation was at its height, but finally accepted the idea, would, if it were possible, part with its parks for twice their total cost. It has been found in some of the towns that the parks have earned money for the taxpayers, and from a financial point of view are good investments, writes M. O. Stone in the Review of Reviews.

Attractive parks now occupy large areas that for years were obstructions to the extension and material prosperity of many towns and cities, and as these unsightly and waste places were gradually improved and beautified the value of land in those neighborhoods soon began to rise. Officials representing parks in fifty towns and cities state that real estate near their park territory has increased in valuation greatly beyond the average increase in other parts of their cities.

Ten years ago the board of park commissioners of Boston reported that the increase in the value of lands near the Back Bay system had been over 800 percent. During the same time the value of lands in the rest of the city had increased in value but 18 percent. Land values have also risen enormously near Central and other New York parks, and everywhere, though perhaps not to such an extent as in Boston and New York, appreciation in the value of real estate near parks has steadily increased and must continue to do so as parks are developed and grow more beautiful. Many park systems are but partially improved, and some years may be necessary to show their value in this direction. The improvement and beautifying of any section of a town or city by the erection of handsome buildings, especially when surrounded by beautiful grounds, immediately cause surrounding property to become more valuable, and attractive public parks in a still greater degree have the same effect. The phenomenal growth of our towns and cities during the last ten years should arouse us to the necessity of securing land for park purposes before the most desirable tracts are taken for residential and manufacturing purposes. There is little reason to fear that rapidly growing towns and cities will obtain more park lands than will be required, and the danger of delay in buying is illustrated in many cities which find, when they are forced to consider the question of providing public parks, that the cost of procuring suitable land has increased enormously. In some cases the most desirable tracts that could have been bought at reasonable figures a few years ago cannot now be secured at prices that will permit of their acquisition for park purposes.

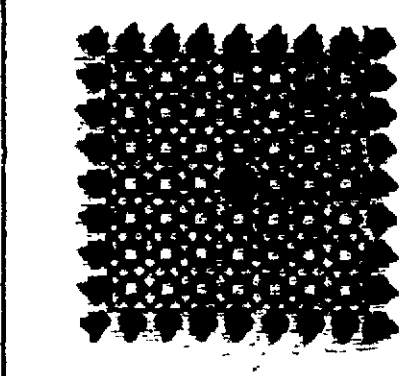
There are in many towns and cities large open spaces which should be taken at once for park purposes and for great playgrounds.

Support the Local Paper.

Speaking of what a newspaper does for a community, United States Senator David Davis of Illinois made an address that remains ever green in the memories of newspaper men, says the Marengo (Ia.) Democrat. He said: "Every year every local paper gives from 500 to 5,000 free lines for the benefit of the community in which it is located. No other agency can or will do this. The editor in proportion to his means does more for his town than any other man, and in all fairness, man with man, he ought to be supported—not because you happen to like him or admire his writing, but because a local paper is the best investment a community can make. It may not be crowded with great thought, but financially it is of more benefit than both preacher and teacher. Today editors do more for less pay than any men on earth. Patronize your home paper, not as a charity, but as an investment."

What a Neighborhood Lost.

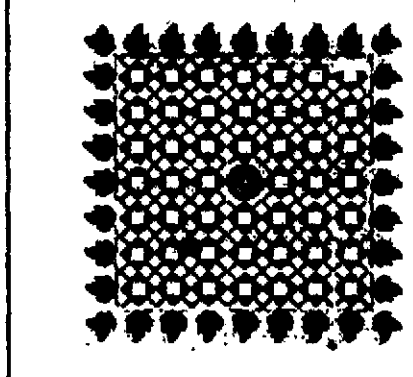
A few weeks ago a man consulted me regarding the beautifying of a large lot on which he would soon build a forty thousand dollar residence," writes a landscape engineer in the Kansas City Star. "I studied the plan of his house and the ground he was to use. I advised him not to build there, for the property adjoining his would be an eyesore to him. The lawn was a stretch of grass, weeds and bare places. The terrace had slipped into the street except where boards held it back. My client is seeking another place for his house, and that neighborhood lost a structure that would have advanced its tone and incidentally the price of the land. The man who suffers most is the one who didn't care for the appearance of his property."



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RALPH W. JUNKINS, Examiner.

NOTICE.

To the Depositors of the Portsmouth Savings Bank, of
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WENDELL L. PETERSON.

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To the Depositors of the Portsmouth Trust & Guarantee
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SAMUEL R. GARDNER.

THE KING OF BOOKS

HOW JAMES C. YOUNG WON THIS
UNIQUE DISTINCTION.

Spent Years in Gathering the Most
Remarkable Collection of Books in
the World—Every Volume Bears
the Author's Autograph.

James Carleton Young of Minneapolis, who has the distinction among bibliophiles of possessing the most unique library in the world and who is frequently referred to by the foreign press as the "king of books," has for the past twelve years devoted his time and wealth to making his wonderful collection, in which he has been assisted by literary men in all parts of the globe.

The library is one that contains fully nineteen-twentieths of what might be termed the art in literature of the present day and a great number of the first editions of works of authors who are now dead. One of the most interesting features of the collection is the fact that every book bears the signature of the author. A great number not only contain the autograph of the author, but also the story of what led to the writing of the book, all in the author's handwriting.

This collection, which includes thousands of volumes, is to be given a permanent home in Minneapolis. Only private ownership is at present contemplated, but a building will be erected that will in every way be worthy of the collection and of such size as to provide for additions in years to come. When the collection has been brought under one roof Mr. Young will set aside certain days when the public will be welcomed. These thousands of books, constituting the universal selection of modern literature, will have for a home a Greek temple, the marble for which is to be imported from Europe.

When Mr. Young had accumulated a fortune he turned to the gratification of his hobby, the collection of fine books. His studious youth and high literary culture had given him this taste. He conceived the idea of forming a library that would contain all the great works of all the countries of the world. The plan was simple and original. Mr. Young looked for first editions. Whenever there was a translation in English he annexed it to the original.

He does not confine himself to first editions, however. That would seriously limit the beauty of the collection since the original edition is by no means always the most sumptuous; also he had special editions bound to



JAMES CARLETON YOUNG.

suit his fancy. His agents have traveled over the world requesting living authors to head their volumes with a few lines respecting their work and themselves. Many have taken pleasure in writing the history of the work and in answering to objections and criticisms. The first years were laborious. Many authors would not answer, seeing an ingenious autograph hunter. Soon this difficulty disappeared, it having become known that the collection was without a peer, and answers poured in from all quarters.

Four secretaries had, charge of requesting the consent of writers. When the answer was received Mr. Young sent to the authors the most luxurious copies of their works and of the rarest edition. Often even the volumes were especially printed.

Mr. Young has an ingenious method of sending books to their authors. He has a number of tiny trunks, and in these are packed the finely bound editions of the author with whom he has been corresponding. The recipient has only to write in them, slip them back in the trunk, and they are ready for their return journey. Often nearly a hundred of these little trunks are traveling back and forth across the ocean.

Mr. Young after graduating from college began handling investments in western farming lands and city real estate for eastern capitalists. His success in that line of business made him several times a millionaire. In a few years and while still a very young man he had become one of the largest land-owners in North America. In 1878, at the age of twenty-two, he was commissioner of the United States at the world's fair in Paris.

Mr. Young resides in Minneapolis with his wife and daughter. Nearly his entire time is given to the collection of books. For more than twelve years the collection has gone on increasing in value until it stands today unique among the libraries of the world. So large is it that even Mr. Young is unable to say exactly how many volumes it contains, but it runs far into the thousands.

ORGANIZED LABOR, THE GREAT MUSCLE TRUST

By DAVID M. PARRY,
President National Association
of Manufacturers



ORGANIZED LABOR IS PARTICULARLY DENUNCIATORY OF TRUSTS, BUT WHAT GREATER TRUST IS THERE THAN ITSELF? IT IS THE GRAND TRUST OF THE TIMES. IT IS THE MUSCLE TRUST, THE TRUST OF MEN WHO MAKE THEIR LIVING BY MANUAL LABOR.

It is to be hoped that, in accordance with the Nelson amendment to the department of commerce bill, the government, in turning the searchlight of publicity on the trusts, will not forget organized labor. If any institution needs to be exposed to the limelight, it is certainly trades unionism. But it is not only a trust itself; it is a creator of other trusts—of capitalistic trusts, as distinguished from labor trusts. ONE OF THE LEADING CAUSES FOR THE FORMATION OF A NUMBER OF THE INDUSTRIAL COMBINATIONS HAS BEEN THE NECESSITY THAT HAS CONFRONTED EMPLOYERS TO UNITE THAT THE EXACTIONS OF LABOR MIGHT BE MORE EFFECTIVELY DEALT WITH.

Organized labor is not only seeking to absorb with its tentacles all the manual workers of the cities and factories, but it is also reaching out to take in the farm laborers. Unions of the latter are reported to be rapidly growing in Illinois and Indiana. It is also stated that they are preparing to exact double the wages heretofore paid for this class of labor. If a compact organization of farm hands could be formed, a very serious problem would confront not only the farmers, but the entire country. There can be no doubt that such an organization would demand, with all the unreasonableness of ignorance, a wage scale that would greatly enhance the cost of living to each and every one and would in all likelihood bring about the ruin of our immense export trade in grain and flour.

ORGANIZED LABOR AND THE SOCIALIST PARTY DIFFER IN ONE ESSENTIAL RESPECT. THE FORMER SEEKS TO BRING ABOUT SOCIALISM BY FORCEFUL METHODS, AND THE LATTER SEEKS THE SAME END THROUGH THE BALLOT BOX.

Its attempts to compel the shortening of the hours of labor without regard to the effect on industrial welfare, its dictation of uniform wage scales, which place the indolent and inapt on the same footing with energy and capability, and the absolute power it arrogates to itself over the individual on the theory that the individual has no rights which the many need respect, are all cardinal principles of socialism. SOCIALISM IS A DENIAL OF INDIVIDUAL AND PROPERTY RIGHTS, AND SO, ALSO, IS TRADES UNIONISM WHEN REDUCED TO ITS LAST ANALYSIS.

Industrial and Social Peace Sought by Organized Labor

By SAMUEL GOMPERS, President of the American Federation of Labor



ORGANIZED LABOR IS THE RESULT OF OUR INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AND ENVIRONMENT. IT PROPOSES TO SECURE A LARGER SHARE OF THE PRODUCTION OF WEALTH. IT SEEKS TO SECURE THESE OBJECTS BY PEACEFUL AND LAWFUL METHODS. IT AIMS TO ESTABLISH MORE RIGHTFUL RELATIONS BETWEEN MAN AND MAN.

ORGANIZED LABOR SEEKS NO CONFLICT SUCH AS PRESIDENT PARRY OF THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF MANUFACTURERS WOULD PROMOTE, NOR WILL IT RUN AWAY FROM IT. We desire industrial and social peace and are making for it, Mr. Parry and those who act with him to the contrary notwithstanding.

We shall be enabled soon to discern to what extent the manufacturers of the United States are in accord with him. At this writing we are confident that he represents but an infinitesimal part of the American employers.

ORGANIZED LABOR FACES THE FUTURE CONFIDENT AND SELF RELIANT.

How to Win In the Game of Headball

By CHARLES R. BARRETT, Superintendent of the Chicago Athenaeum



RESPECT, COURTESY, PATIENCE, SYMPATHY AND INFLUENCE ARE IMPORTANT QUALITIES WE SHOULD ACQUIRE AND EXERCISE AS THE RESULT OF EDUCATION.

Care of the hair, the teeth, the nails and the general attire are marks of the educational influence we enjoy. They indicate our regard for the opinions and impressions of others. Such thoughtful persons win the esteem of inferiors and superiors. These are winning points in the game of life.

In the games of baseball, football, golf and tennis, how carefully the players watch and exercise every vantage point! How carefully the individual football player is trained in the development of skill! BUT HEADBALL IS A GREATER GAME THAN FOOTBALL. It requires closer application, greater energy, a longer struggle, and the reward is correspondingly greater. The player at sport will take a hint, will often originate playing points and apply them to the game with all the energy of his mind and body.

The same person, playing the game of life, may be dull and careless when judged by the employer. He will lack punctuality, industry, interest and appearance when he must know that his means of existence and happiness depend upon his observance of the playing points in the game, in which the rewards are numerous, liberal and permanent.

The young man of neat appearance, good manners, who is careful and energetic in his work and watchful of opportunities will sooner or later be in line and a force in the affairs of man.

"There and Back"

A Howlingly Funny Farce by
George Arliss, the
Actor.

"There and Back," by George Arliss, is a bright and amusing farce which is crowding the Princess theater in this city. It was splendidly cast and played. George Arliss has made a hit as an actor in "The Darling of the Gods," and he shows up well now as an author. His farce has no great brilliancy or novelty in it, but in the first two acts it is a screaming piece of fun. The third act rather drags, but since the first night this may have been improved. The second act is of course the best, and the climax is one of the funniest I ever saw.

Why is it that all farces have things and people in harness—I mean what the public schools call concert recitation?



CHARLES E. EVANS

tions? If two people exclaimed at the same moment and said different things, it would be more natural than for two or three, as occurred often in this play, to look markedly at each other, getting ready for the right moment, and then emit such brilliant gems as "Oh, Uncle Guy!" and "Oh, you darling!" It spoils all the spontaneity and looks dreadfully unnatural.

Then, again, two young women, supposedly ladies, are the wives of English gentlemen who live in London. In this country of ours I doubt if there is a lady who does not know the important geography of Europe and the trifles attached to a sea voyage to that part of the world. In "There and Back" two fidgety, stupid wives are setting their homes crazy packing the valises of their respective husbands to go to America on a first class steamer. Apples, crackers and what not are poured into these receptacles, and when all is ready the want of rope is felt in both homes.

Rope, in these days of convenience, needed to tie a gentleman's traveling case! It is absurd, as are the idiotic questions asked by these wives of the perils of the voyage and the Mediterranean ocean. Thank heaven, George Arliss was showing us English ladies and not our women, who know all this long before the age of ten. All of this stupidity was funny, but very ridiculous.

The best male parts were taken by Charles E. Evans and Charles H. Hopper, and Augustus Cook had a role almost as good.

William Waring (Charles E. Evans) and Henry Lewson (C. H. Hopper) have each been but shortly married. The doctor has ordered them away, and just before sailing each receives a blackmailing letter demanding money from a dame of their antenatal days. Each is ignorant of the predicament of the other, and each responds, but orders that all such proceedings stop, as they are now respectable married men. Prompt telegrams notify them of the passage of the fair Marie Antoinette on the same steamer for which they are booked. Each decides he will not go and is surprised to see how readily the other indorses the change of plan. The wives are kept in ignorance, and rather than excite suspicion the husbands go to Scotland to visit a friend.

This friend, a sort of rake, has suddenly married and keeps the surprise to spring on his friends. The fair Marie Antoinette is the demure lady he has selected, and when she is seen by the friends in the absence from the room of Jack Macrea, her husband, the situation is very funny. News reaches the wives of the loss of the steamer on which their husbands were supposed to have sailed, and here the best acting of the evening was done by Florence Montgomery as Lewson's wife. All the effects of such a shock on such a girl were shown in such a manner as made it howlingly funny instead of sad, and yet it was natural. The husbands eventually turn up exactly when they would have done had their first plan gone straight and find the wives dressed as widows. They all talk at once, and no one hears what the others say, until the men, explaining their grand trip, hear that the ship went down. The tangle is finally straightened out, and the truth is told. The actress who so ably played the role of Mrs. Lewson is the wife of the author, George Arliss. Her stage name is Florence Montgomery.

MARY A. BARTOW.

New York.

PORTSMOUTH'S SECRET AND SOCIAL SOCIETIES.

WHEN AND WHERE THEY
MEET.

A Guide for Visitors and
Members.

OAK CIRCLE, No. 4, E. C. R.

Meets at Hall, Police Block, High St.
Second and Fourth Wednesdays of
each month.

Officers—A. L. Phinney, Past Chief;
Charles C. Charles, Noble Chief; Fred
Edgar, Vice Chief; William Hamplshire,
High Priest; Frank P. Malcom, Venerable
Herald; George P. Knight, St. Herald;
Samuel R. Gardner, M. of R.; Fred
Gardner, K. of R.; C. W. Hanson, O.
of R.

PORTSMOUTH COUNCIL, No. 2, O. U. A. M.

Meets at Hall, Franklin Block, First
and Third Thursdays of each Month.

Officers—C. W. Hanson, Councilor;
John Hooper, Vice Councilor; William
P. Gardner, Senior Ex-Councilor;
Charles Allen, Junior Ex-Councilor;
Frank Pike, Recording Secretary;
Frank Langley, Financial Secretary;
Joseph W. Marden, Treasurer; Charles
E. Odiorne, Inductor; George Kimball,
Eraminer; Arthur Jenness, Inside
Protector; George Kay, Outside
Protector; Trustees, Harry Harwood,
Edward Clapp, W. P. Gardner.

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THE HERALD.

MINIATURE ALMANAC.
MAY 7.

NEW ENGLAND. 4:33. MOON SETS. 10:28 A. M.
NEW ENGLAND. 5:03. FULL MOON. 10:35 P. M.
NEW ENGLAND. 5:18. LAST QUARTER. 10:45 P. M.

Full Moon, May 11th, 10. 12m. morning, W.
Last Quarter, May 14th, 10. 12m. morning, W.
New Moon, May 16th, 10. 12m. evening, W.
First Quarter, June 3d, 10. 30m. morning, E.

THE WEATHER.

Washington, May 6.—Forecast for New England: partly cloudy Thursday; fresh north to northwest winds on the coast.

MUSIC HALL BOX OFFICE HOURS.

Open 7:30 to 9:00 a. m., 12:30 to 2, 5 to 6, and 7 to 8 p. m., three days in advance of each attraction. Tickets may be ordered by calling Telephone No. 8009-3.

THURSDAY, MAY 7, 1903.



CITY BRIEFS.

A moist May.
Things are looking up at the navy yard.

The city councils will meet this evening.

Subscribe for The Herald and get all the local news.

The fresh fish market is fairly active and stronger.

The mayflower season has been unusually prolonged.

Only five days more before we settle the license question.

Exeter's valuation is \$2,139,818, and the tax rate is \$1.95.

Have your shoes repaired by John Mott, 34 Congress street.

This spring, up to date, has been an encore of that of 1902.

There's a prospect of a boost in the retail price of oranges.

Commencement day at Hampton academy is Wednesday, June 17.

Pies and sauce from home-grown rhubarb taste pretty good these days.

The Percy Summer club case is to be tried in circuit court in this city next month.

The state railroad commissioners will hold a meeting in Manchester next Monday.

Local followers of the Boston Americans are not pleased with the showing of the team.

The regular meeting of Strawberry Bank grange will be held this evening, in Red Men's hall.

Get your Lawn Grass Seed and Lawn Fertilizer at Schurman's Seed Store, 75 Market street.

The circus is coming to town, so that is something we have to look forward to beside Fourth of July.

All along the water front repairs and painting are in progress on boats, and they will soon be in trim.

Many local "fans" will go to Exeter tomorrow morning to see the game between the Yale and Exeter teams.

The days will continue to lengthen until June 23, the longest day of the year. After that the sunlight will begin to decline.

"Neglected colds make fat graveyards." Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup helps men and women to a happy, vigorous old age.

The May magazines are unusually attractive. Never before were finer pictures of twelve dollar suits shown—Portland Express.

WILL ADJOURN AT ONCE.

The regular monthly meeting of the Royal Arcanum will be held this evening, but adjournment will be taken at once, out of respect to the memory of the late Alderman John Long.

BAKERY SALE.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. will hold a bakery sale in Freeman's hall on May 16, for the benefit of the association's building fund.

Contributions of home-cooked food of any kind are solicited.

STERLING SAILS.

The United States collier Sterling sailed from the navy yard this afternoon. She has been at this port for a month.

Bad blood and indigestion are deadly enemies to good health. Burdock Blood Bitters destroys them.

CROWD WATCHED IT.

Moving Of Y. M. C. A. Building Last Night.

THE JOB WAS CARRIED OUT WITHOUT A SINGLE HITCH.

The old Y. M. C. A. building has been moved at last, after several postponements, from its time-honored location on Congress street and is slowly nearing its new site on Hill street.

The job was begun last evening about 8 o'clock, but it was about 11 o'clock, or after the trolley cars had made their last trip, that the building was taken out into the roadway and headed on its trip.

All the trolley wires had to be taken down, as the building was much too high to clear them.

A crowd of two hundred people or more lined Congress street from eleven o'clock until after midnight, interested in the operations of Mr. Ellis of York, who has the contract of moving the structure, and his men.

A few minutes before midnight the building began to move and two horses and a windlass drew it steadily on down the easy grade to Vaughan street without a hitch.

Mr. Ellis was aiming to get the building around into Vaughan street, clear of the Congress street trolley track, before the first trip of the cars in the morning. He did so and had time to spare.

It was about four o'clock this morning when the building swung from Congress street into Vaughan, leaving plenty of time for the trolley wires to be replaced before the first car was due to come along.

The moving of the building down Vaughan street was accomplished this morning, and at noon it was ready to turn into Hanover street.

The height of the building made it necessary to remove all the wires and the linemen from all the companies were busy there.

One or two signs had to be taken down.

At the corner of Hanover street, there is a network of wires, some twenty in all, which cross from the right to the left hand side of Hanover street. These all had to be removed, and for a time all the wires were out of commission.

The building will be taken across the yard of the Moses H. Goodrich engine house to a lot on Hill street made vacant by the removal of a blacksmith shop.

What will be done by the Goodrich company if there is an alarm of fire, while the building is blocking up the engine house yard, is a question.

The work of removing the foundations left by the building, on the Congress street site, is going on today. Eventually there will stand in this spot a handsome new structure, costing \$30,000—a fine modern home for the Y. M. C. A.

BERWICK BOYS PROTEST.

The members of the Berwick Academy baseball team claim that Portsmouth High did not put a strictly school nine in the field against them at the Plains on Wednesday afternoon. Several of them came in to the Herald office after the game and registered a protest. They claim that some of the players on the Portsmouth team are not connected in any way with the High school.

WORK HUNG UP.

The east wind of the past few days has kicked up such a sea that the Massachusetts Construction company have not been able to tow the barge Triby to the Isles of Shoals until today. The big barge had on board a large part of the machinery necessary for the work and until it could be towed out, no work could be done on the breakwater.

BEING INVESTIGATED.

Charges Against Members Of A Local Union.

ALLEGED THEY HAVE BEEN BUYING IN NON-UNION STORES.

It is said that an investigating committee of one of the local unions is engaged in looking up charges that have been made against several members of the union.

It is alleged that they have been buying goods in non-union stores, and that one member in particular, who is a clerk, has been selling to his customers a non-union article of apparel, when they asked for those bearing the stamp of organized labor.

A fine of two dollars is the penalty imposed on union men who are found purchasing from non-union stores, but in the present cases it is thought that something more severe will happen.

At the next meeting of the union, a report will be given by this committee, and it is expected there will be something doing then among the members found violating the by-laws.

OBITUARY.

John Staples.

John Staples died on Wednesday afternoon at his home in Elliot, at the age of seventy-nine years. He leaves a brother, Solomon Staples.

Edwin Bryon Mudge.

The death occurred in Dayton, O., on Tuesday last, of Edwin Bryon Mudge, aged sixty-eight years. Mr. Mudge was a native of Portsmouth and son of the late Byron B. and Louisa Jones Mudge.

He is survived by a widow, one son, three brothers—George A. and Horace, of this city, and Charles E., of Cincinnati—and three sisters, Mrs. J. E. Norton, Mrs. Edward T. Morrison and Mrs. S. Augustus Preble, all of this city.

SUCCEEDED BY CAPT. MACKENZIE.

Capt. George F. F. Wilde, U. S. N., was succeeded today as captain of his navy yard by Capt. Mackenzie, U. S. N. Capt. Wilde goes from here to Boston, to become captain of the Boston yard later.

Capt. Wilde has been at the Portsmouth yard about a year. In that time he has proven himself one of the most progressive, energetic and capable officers that ever held the position of captain of the yard. He has become extremely popular with the yard force and has also won many fast friends in this city, all of whom regard his departure with sincere regret.

Capt. Mackenzie has been on duty at the Brooklyn yard until recently.

SATURDAY'S MATINEE.

The bill to be put on at Music hall, on Saturday afternoon, by the Dyftrins will be calculated to please the children greatly and the prospect is that they will crowd the play house to see Baby Ethel and the members of her supporting company.

BREAK IN WIRE.

The trolley wire on Congress street, which was taken down on Wednesday night, was not entirely replaced until this forenoon. There was a break at the Vaughan street corner and workmen were engaged in making connections.

POLICE COURT.

At a short session of police court this forenoon, Robert Archibald was given a sentence of six months at the county farm.

"The Mossbacks"

who hang a quilt across the road to keep the mosses out of the village were philosophers to the people who expect to get something for nothing in this world. Honest goods bring honest prices. We believe that out of the many good makes of pianos before the public today there is not one that better expresses the phrase "MOST PIANO FOR THE LEAST MONEY," than the

EMERSON PIANO.

It possesses a beautiful singing quality of tone and is built to last a lifetime. It is not cheap but good and is sold at a reasonable price.

H. P. MONTGOMERY.

6 PLEASANT ST.

PERSONALS.

Col. A. F. Howard is in Boston today.

Mrs. Sadie Dickey Simpson passed today in Bolton.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Howard are in Boston today.

Mrs. Charles F. Shillaber was in Boston on Wednesday.

Horace P. Montgomery is on a business trip to New York.

Former Senator W. E. Chandler has returned from Washington.

Miss Beatrice Smith is the guest of relatives in Brockton, Mass.

Former Mayor John Pender has returned from a trip to New York.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. William P. Gray this morning.

Miss Josephine Delaney of Halifax, is the guest of relatives in this city.

Miss Mercy Myrick Norris of Lynn is visiting relatives and friends here.

Supt. Winslow T. Perkins of the Boston and Maine railroad was here today.

James R. Morrison has returned to Portsmouth from his Florida residence.

Street Commissioner Hett and August Hett were in Boston on Wednesday.

Mrs. Mary Philbrick of Seabrook is under treatment at the Cottage hospital.

Mrs. M. F. Wentworth of Kittery has returned from a visit to Portland, Me.

Dr. A. B. Sherburne will leave for Moosehead Lake in a few days, on a fishing trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert O. Prime will leave tomorrow on a fishing trip, to West Alton.

Charles E. Almy and son Dean, Highland street, were in Boston on Wednesday.

Fred Gray of Concord is the guest of his brother, Charles W. Gray, Richards avenue.

Mrs. Robert Cutts Peirce of Washington will open her Miller avenue residence soon.

Supt. Foster of the Massachusetts Construction company passed last night in Boston.

Mrs. Dennis O'Leary and family have moved from 2 Chestnut street to Brewster street.

Mrs. Andrew P. Preston and daughter Elizabeth returned today from a sojourn at Washington.

Mrs. Hill of Concord is the guest of her son, Captain Charles Hill, U. S. M. C., at the navy yard.

Rolley L. Morrison and Freeman J. Morrison of Rumford Falls, Me., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Aljens.

Miss Maggie Gallagher of Taylor's candy and ice cream establishment went to Taunton, Mass., today, on a vacation.

Mrs. John Galloway and daughter, Julia, McDonough street, left for New York on Wednesday, to visit relatives.

Wildor D. Quint of Boston passed Wednesday evening and night at the home of his wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hutchings, State street.

Walter Fennessey of Chicago, a member of Chicago council, Royal Arcanum, was one of the guests at the Royal Arcanum housewarming at Peirce hall Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Thomas of Chicago are the guests of their daughter, Mrs. W. B. Hayes, Lincoln avenue. Mr. Thomas is one of the most noted engineers in this country.

Mrs. Abbie R. Tredick and Miss Martha E. Tredick of State street left this (Thursday) morning for Philadelphia, to make an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. Herbert G. Campion.

Dr. and Mrs. S. F. Ham, Mrs. Charles Whidden Ham and son Stanley, left this forenoon for Los Angeles, Cal., to make their future home. Charles W. Ham will remain

in this city a few months longer before joining his family, in their home on the Pacific coast.

THE STRIKE.

Contractors Claim They Are Hiring Men, While Carpenters Say There is No Break in the Union Ranks.

The carpenters' strike remains about the same, although the Master Builders claim that they are hiring good men every day.

One is reported to have hired five men, others, two and three.

The union men claim that these men who have been set at work are strangers and not members of any union. They say that many carpenters who have been attracted here by the call for men left as soon as they heard that there was a strike on.

The carpenters assert that there has not been a break in the union ranks, and that there are no indications of it. Many of the strikers are doing jobbing work about the city.

FEW DOGS LICENSED.

There Are Over Five Hundred in This City Which Should Be.

Only one hundred and eighty dogs have been licensed so far.

This is a small number, for there are over five hundred in this city, which should be licensed. Agent Weston will start out in earnest next Monday and all unlicensed dogs found will be taken up.

Under the law passed by the last legislature, all female dogs which have been spayed will be licensed for the same fee as male dogs, but a certificate from a veterinary doctor must be shown.

WON EASILY.

Portsmouth High School Team Defeated Berwick Academy.

A good sized crowd saw the Portsmouth High school baseball team defeat Berwick academy at The Plains on Wednesday afternoon. The score was sixteen to eight. The P. H. S. boys put up a good game and were superior to their opponents in every department.

MCINTIRE—TRASK.

The marriage of Thomas J. McIntire of Laconia, son of John McIntire of Dover and Miss Helen Trask of Laconia, daughter of City Clerk Julian F. Trask, took place on Wednesday at St. Mary's church in Laconia and was witnessed by a large number of friends and relatives of the contracting parties, many of whom came from out of town. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Hennon. A wedding breakfast was served and a reception held at the newly furnished home of the couple in Laconia, and many valuable and beautiful wedding presents were received by them.

OBSEQUES.

The funeral of Harriet N. Lancaster was held at two o'clock this afternoon from her late home in Newington, Rev. George W. Gile of this city officiating. A male quartet consisting of Messrs. Ralph S. Parker, Goodwin E. Philbrick, Horace H. Rowe and Charles W. Gray rendered several selections. Interment was in the family lot on Lafayette Road, under the direction of Undertaker O. W. Ham.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

The funeral of Alderman John Long will be held at half-past nine o'clock tomorrow morning from the Church of the Immaculate Conception.

MOVED THEIR OFFICE.

A. R. Benson and Co., stock brokers, have moved their office from the Walker block on Daniel street to Congress block.

LOOK OUT FOR HIM.

Clothes Wringer Man Imposing Upon People.

HE IS CHARGED WITH DOING SOME TRICKY WORK.

People will do well to be on their guard against a certain man who is "working" this section in the guise of a repairer of clothes wringers.

This man called at one residence the other day and took a wringer to repair. He returned it and received two dollars for putting in new rolls.

On examining the machine a little later, the lady of the house discovered that instead of two new rolls, the tricky "repairer" had put in one old rubber roll and a wooden roll, rendering the wringer practically useless.

He had also substituted an old crank for the crank that had been on the wringer.

The job was craftily done and the trick was not apparent when the lady first looked at the wringer.

The present whereabouts of this chap is unknown. No complaints against him have yet been made to the police.

CIRCUIT COURT.

At the afternoon session of circuit court on Wednesday, Frank Sargent, a young boy, was arraigned on the charge of obtaining a letter addressed to his mother under false pretences from the Exeter post office.

He was represented by Attorney John Mitchell, who made an eloquent plea in his behalf, but the lad was sentenced to serve sixty days in the Manchester jail.

The case of Frank Napoli was then taken up and there being circumstances in connection with it which urged the exercise of clemency, it was placed on file.

Court then adjourned until ten o'clock this morning, when it convened at Concord.

TRIBUTE TO THE DEAD.

Foster's Democrat says: Word has been received here of the death of Alderman John Long at Portsmouth this morning. Alderman Long was a former resident of this city and has many friends here that will regret his death.

The deceased was genial and kind hearted and generous to a fault. He was ever ready to assist a friend in need and he will be greatly missed from the circle in which he was accustomed to gather.

TO REVISE CONSTITUTION.

The regular meeting of the Portsmouth Yacht club will be held at the club house this evening at eight o'clock. The matter of revision of the constitution, laid over from the last meeting will be brought up for action.

A collation will be served after the meeting.

HAS MANY FRIENDS HERE.

Judge Clarence Hale of Portland, who was here on Wednesday presiding at the United States circuit court, has many friends in this city. He is a brother of Senator Hale and this is his first session in this city.

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